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## CHAPTER 382

## Policy and Priorities Board of Cabinet Act

1. In this Act, "Board" means the Policy and Priorities Board of Cabinet. 1971 (2nd Sess.), c. 13, s. 1. Interpretation

2.—(1) There shall be a Policy and Priorities Board of Cabinet which shall consist of the Chairman and not fewer than five and not more than six other members of the Executive Council designated from time to time by the Lieutenant Governor in Council. Establishment and composition of Board

(2) The Premier is the Chairman of the Board. Chairman

(3) The Chairman shall preside at meetings of the Board and is responsible for the operation and administration of the Board. Chairman's powers and duties

(4) When the Chairman will be or is absent from any meeting he may appoint a member of the Board to preside at the meeting otherwise the members present at the meeting shall appoint a member to preside at the meeting. Absence of Chairman

(5) The Secretary to the Cabinet shall, from among the persons on the staff of the Cabinet office, provide the Board with such staff as is necessary for the proper conduct of the business of the Board. Staff

(6) The Board may determine its rules and methods of procedure and shall keep a minute book in which proceedings shall be recorded. Procedure

(7) Three members of the Board constitute a quorum. 1971 (2nd Sess.), c. 13, s. 2. Quorum

3. The Board shall be the committee of the Executive Council which shall develop, review, co-ordinate and advise on policy and priorities relating to, Duties of Board

- (a) the overall long-term and short-term goals of governmental activity in relation to the social and economic needs of the Province of Ontario;

- (b) the general outline of budgetary and fiscal policy and of levels of taxation and priorities among expenditure programs in accordance with the goals;
- (c) recommendations submitted by policy field committees;
- (d) program proposals and other matters referred to the Board;
- (e) the periodic reappraisal of existing programs; and
- (f) intergovernmental relations. 1971 (2nd Sess.), c. 13, s. 3.